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THE WHITE MAN'S BURDEN.

When it is remembered that in Virginia and in all the Southern States, the negroes pay the smallest conceivable part of the tax money that supports the public schools in which their children are taught, and that the reason they do not pay more is because most of them are too shiftless and indifferent, even to try to acquire property that is assessable for school tax, no one can wonder that here and there a sentiment springs up among white men in favor of forcing the negro to pay for the schooling of his own children or else let them grow up in ignorance. It is a heavy burden and the black man is doing little to lighten it. It is no wonder that the white people of the South occasionally cry out, and appeal to the law-making power to force self, at least to the extent of educating railroads, but who had lost the greater his own children.

This sentiment sprung up in Virginia and grew to such extent as to induce some of the members of the late Constitutional Convention to attempt to incorporate in the new organic law an article apportioning money to the public schools for whites and blacks according to the taxable property of the two races. The same question came up in North Carolina, and as in Virginia found many advocates in various parts of the State, in both Virginia and North Carolina the sober, second thought prevailed, the propositions to divide the school money in the manner mentioned were voted down by overwhelming majorities, and the white

The same proposition has just been overwhelmingly rejected by the Georgia body had been embalmed. Legislature, and the history of the movecall the attention of our northern friends, southern way of handling the negro question, to the fact that the southern white man is still shouldering his burden, and to lay it down. He is doing it too in the face of the fact that the beneficiary of

school money in the manner indicated, as we were pleased when Virginia and North Carolina took the same course, but it may this thing can't last always. The time a fair share of the school tax or go withthe States named, which have failed now, should be sufficient to remind the negro vate ownership would rid the State give the negro to learn to stand on his not generally commended. own feet. We daresay a second movement likely to succeed than a first.

## SOMNAMBULISM AND CRIME.

That was a curious case described in this paper yesterday morning, in which Court of Kentucky, where one Fain was the trial he offered to prove that he com-

compolency. court, but on appeal it was held that that ruling was erroneous. The Supreme Court wery properly held that in a state of somnambulism the person does not enjoy the free and rational exercise of his same. understanding. In the Kentucky case it appeared too that there was not the slightest motive for the homicide, and the evidence tended to show that the prisbelieved himself to be attacked by good.

mitted the alleged offense in a state of

the deceased. 'a Washington's army, who one night harvest fields "just for a lark," and the

cried out in a loud voice that the British were upon them, thus causing the long roll to be heat and all the men fly to

In the Baltimore instance Manoley fired four shots into his wife's head and neck. and, as he says, with the idea in his mind that there was a burglar leaning over his wife towards him, and that he was aiming the pistol at the burglar's

It is urged against Manoley that if he had been asleep he surely would have awakened by his first shot; but according to the prisoner's account he did not awaken until after the four shots had been fired, when he found that he had killed his wife, and at once went to a neighbor's and reported the fact.

Some effort has been made by the Baltimore police to show that Manoley and his wife flived unhappily together; that the pistol he used was a recent purchase, and that he provided himself with ammunition but a few days ago.. These things he denied, except that shortly before the 4th of July he had bought some cartridges. The neighbors say the Mano leys lived together as happily as any two persons they had ever known. The police officer who arrested Manoley stated that he found him with his handkerchief out and crying. Manoley handed him the pistol and said: "You had better take this pistol, or I'll blow my brain out."

The Baltimore papers are full of instances of the feats and crimes of somnambulists. It is shown that such persons have even killed their own children, have carried furniture out of their houses into the streets, wound up clocks and lighted fires, etc. In some cases they have performed extraordinary feats in ascending house tops and treading dangerous

A Boston case which occurred about fifeen o reighteen years ago is referred to. There a daughter sleeping with her mother shot and killed her while in a sleep-walking state.

It also appears that numerous devices have been adopted to cure children and others of the habit of sleep walking, but with no great amount of success. A comexpedient is to pin the sleep walker's clothes to his bed in the expectation that the effort required to release him will awaken him, but it has happened that the person thus sought to be restrained would take the pins out, and proceed to walk as before.

#### ANOTHER MYSTERY.

The New York papers have a new murder mystery, but the crime was not committed in that city. The victim was Colonel Best, a Southerner, who the negro to shift somewhat for him- had amassed a fortune by building

The crime is believed to have been com mitted at San Rafael, California. leath certificate given there recited that the deceased had come to his death by reason of a cerebral disease.

The body was brought East and interred in the family plot at Caldwell, N. J., but his relatives suspecting that had it exhumed and an autopsy made. Vastly to the surprise of the doctors, it was found that the internal organs of the deceased had been removed and sawdust substituted. The brain, however, had not been disturbed, and an examination of it showed that it was in a healthy condition. Several detached pieces of man thus voluntarily reshouldered his the intestines found in the sawdust, upon analysis, indicated the presence of an irritant poison, aconite probably. The

Warrants have been issued against ment for the division of the school tax a doctor and Mrs. Woods, of San Rafael, money on this basis is the same in Geor- charged with the crime. Colonel Best in Virginia. We have mentioned met them by chance when traveling and these facts of recent history merely to | became their guest. It is suspected that they killed him to get possession of who are so eager to find fault with the certain valuables that he had, and which

## STRIKES IN AUSTRALIA.

In Victoria, Australia, the railroads are operated by the government. Recently there, was a strike among the employes the burden shows little appreciation of but the Governor took the ground that what the whites are doing for him, and as the strikers were all paid servants continues to refuse to shoulder an ounce of the State, they were practically rebels of it himself. We are glad that Georgia has voted ple, and in the name of the people audown the proposed law to divide the thority was asked by him to suppress the was taken the unconditional surrender of the strikers made it unnecessary.

he well enough to warn the negroes that which has arisen as to the comparative A sequel to the strike is a discussion will come when they will have to bear of railroads. Here in the United States merits of State and private ownership it has been suggested that State ownerout schooling. The white people have borne the burden, practically alone, for danger of strikes. In Victoria, on the danger of strikes. In Victoria, on the nearly forty years. These movements in contrary, in view of this strike on State railroads, men are suggesting that prithat the whites are beginning to think that danger. We learn, however, from forty years is about long enough time to the newspapers that this suggestion is

According to the London Chronicle, at Tobermory Bay, Mull, where Captain Burns, of Glasgow, has, with the permis sion of the Duke of Argyll, been search ing for relies of the Admiral of Florence one of the vessels of the Spanish Armada. known to have been blown up in 1588 in Frank Manoley, of Baltimore, (formerly that faraway water, there has been a of Richmond), pleaded that he had killed ind which once more shows that there his wife while sleeping, and, of course, is nothing new under the sun. With the unknowingly and without premeditation, aid of an old chart the diver went down The Baltimore Sun in reviewing the into twelve fathoms, and came across affair quotes a decision of the Supreme a bronze breechloading cannon, four and convicted of manslaughter, though on ter at the breech, and bearing the date

> out of town during July has been unpuralleled, and accounts for it by reason of the fact that comparatively few person left in June, that month having been rainy and chilly,

Richmond's experience has been the

derful influence in a good roads convention, which shows that they are some

The Harvard students' idea of "a lark" A remarkable instance of mischief done varie saccording to temperament. Some by sleeping persons was that of a soldier of them have gone to work in the Kansas

The bursting of great dams in this country has been of so frequent occurrence as to call forth comment. The con structing engineers have not escaped criticism at home or abroad.

The next time Miss Lillie White, of Norfolk, has to clean her lily white gloves she will not be apt to use her llly white hands for a hanging rack during the gasoline act.

There was not altogether as much lockjaw as usual this year from Fourth of July celebrating, but the patriots found some other means of enlarging the casual ties, fatal and otherwise.

Nobody seems disposed to question the statement of Judge Hargls, of Breathitt county. Ky., that he is a strictly business man

That July snow-storm in Montana killed off this year's crop of grasshoppers. Pity Norfolk can't get one to try on the mos-

Richmond likes the soldier boys, Possi-

bly that is why we think it well for them to linger longer. The matrimonial market is somewhat easier than it was in June, but the marriage license dealers have not found it

necessary to close up the front door. rience much difficulty in getting up a crowd to help him hunt for the North

Pole at this particular season. Some of our legislators could spend their vacation wery profitably in the Kansas harvest fields. No charge for the sug-

We can now account for the curious weather and the cloudbursts, floods and other wonderful happenings. An Ohio Congressman has resigned

The "Town Idea." which Governor Cummins cribbed from the Democrats, seems to have gotten entirely away from him.

Our French having undergone some correcttion we repeat: President Loubet had a good time in London, you bay.

It does not require a very acute car to hear the corn growing in the James River lowgrounds at the present writing.

## Half Hour With

Virginia Editors. 

In a long article about county bridges the Brunswick Gazette says:

The wooden age has practically passed, and is superceded by that of iron and steel. Those who have the management and direction of our public affairs should take cognizance of the fact and govern their actions accordingly.

By which we presume our contemporary means, harden up to the situation.

Discussing the probable effects of the Discussing the probable effects of the Barksdale law, the Roanoke Times says; The good name of this Commonwealth, and the maintenance of a high standard of civic morals, is of vastly greater and more sacred importance than the success of any candidate or the supremacy of any political party. Not only, say we, should the Barksdale bill be enforced, but it should be enforced with especial vigor at the very first election to which it is applied.

The Harrisonburg Free Press says:
There is a room at the Congressional
Library which is constantly occupied with
people studying the history of their ancestors. Every once in a while, however, some person discovers something
in the history of her ancestors which
causes her to abandon the investigation
in disgust. The Harrisonburg Free Press says:

The Harrisonburg News observes:
In Paris they have a portable school-house to relieve the overcrowding of school buildings. It wouldn't be a bad idea in some portions of Virginia to provide for the portable school teacher, on general principles.

In positively denying the story that Rev. Mr. Cawley, a temperance advocate, was whipped by reconshiners in Floyd county, the Floyd Press says:

the Floyd Press says:

Floyd county is one of the best counties in the State. We have more lawabiding citizens than any county. We never have mobs, riots, or strikes her and there has never been a langing or lynching in the county. Floyd is ready and able to take care of herself, if outsiders will stop medding with our affairs.

## Personal and General.

Paul Laurence Dunbar, the negro poet, and his first book, "Oak and Ivy," out of scribblings of verse begun in his high school days.

John W. Bates, of Weymouth, Mass., has in his possession the original old filmt-lock rifle used by John L. Burns at Gettys-burg, to whom a monument has just been dedicated on the buttlefield.

A. F. Gault, resident of the Dominion Cotton Company, and the acknowledged cotton king of Canada, is dead.

General Nelson A. Miles has formed a partnership with ex-Governor James S. Hogg, of Texas, and they have already began the purchasing of oil land.

Prof. Edward A. Steiner, of Grinnell College, has just returned from Russia, where he spent some time on the estate of Count Tolstoy and with the members of the Tolstoy circle.

Ex-Governor Boutwell, Silas Dean and Hon. Robert T. Davis, the three surviy-ing members of the Massachusetts con-vention of 1883, have just held a reunion in Boston in commemoration of the fif-tieth anniversary of that famous event in Massachusetts history.

## The Attitude of the Strikers.

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Editor of The Times-Dispatch:
Sir.—In common with all good citizens of Richmond I have noted with satisfaction that the striking motormen and conductors assert that they have not been in evidence among the disorderity crowds which have threatened the safety of the various trolley lines of the city. I have also noted that not a single instance has been observed of the presence of a striker advising or urging the discontinuance of acts of violence against the Passenger and Power Company.

In view of this careful abstention from interference on the part of the strikers it must be that they view with secret satisfaction these acts of violence, and, therefore, must bear a part of the objects of the company of these outbreaks against law and order.

It as they claim, the strikers are op-

and order. It as they claim, the strikers are op-posed to these unlawful acts by their escalled sympathizers, it must be patent to them that these acts disgrace the prin-ciples of unionism and it should be to their interests to strive in every way for the suppression of lawlessness. Nothing of the kind has been done, therefore the strikers have put themselves in the posi-tion of standing for lawlessness, disgrace to the city, disregard, for the rights of others, and careless for the good name of unionism. No visible assistance has been rendered by the strikers to the forces of law and

rder! OBSERVER Richmond, Va., July 19th.

# **DURHAM**

DEPOT

Southern Railway Files its Answer to Citizens' Petition

INSURANCE COMPANIES

Raleigh Firemen Purchase a Race Horse to Compete in the State Firemen's Contests in Durham. Colonel Old Lectures.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.) RALEIGH, N. C., July 10.—The South-ern Railway Company, through their counsel, Mr. F. H. Busbee, to-day filed their written answer to the petition of citizens of Durham for a union depot. It sets forth at length the Peabody Street rights of way litigation with the Seaboard as a barrier to a union depot agreement, and expresses readiness and anxiety to build adequate depot facilities just as soon as these differences are cleared.

State Insurance Commissioner James R. ounsel, Mr. F. H. Busbee, to-day filed

State Insurance Commissioner James R. State Insurance Commissioner James R. Young announces that he is receiving a great number of inquiries as to the responsibility of a number of companies, especially Registry Company, of New York; Commercial Registry Company, St. Louis. He says "these companies process to register their victims' and sell cheap accident insurance." That they are required, but have failed to procure license to do business in this State. He complains also of certain bond and investment companies that are also trying to do busines in the State without licenses o do busines in the State without licenses

to do busines in the State without licenses and calls on officers and citizens to cooperate with him in enforcing the law.

FIREMAN'S RACE HORSE.

The Capital Hose Company, of the Raleigh fire department has purchased a fine race horse, with which they propose to run the races in the State Firemen's Tournament, soon to be held in Durham. All the companies of the Raleigh department are going to the State tournament determined to win in all entries.

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This afternoon the teachers attending the Agricultural and Mechanical summer school, about 300, visited the State Museum in a body. They were escorted through the hall of history by Colonel F. A. Olds, by whom this department has been arranged, and were treated to a most instructive lecture on historical interest clustering about the articles collected there.

The Executive Committee from the Masonic Lodge at Raleigh have extended an invitation to President Roosavelt to attend the great Masonic Temple Fair, to be held here under the auspices of the Grand Lodge October 12th to the 24th. It is proposed to make it one of the most notable Masonic events ever held in America. The proceeds will be for the Masonic Temple, and it will be managed by Noble F. Martin, of Utica, N. Y., who conducted the Wilmington bazaar so successfully a few years ago.

NEW CHARTERS.

The Secretary of State Issued a charter this morning to the McAuley, Yorke and Rogers Company, incorporated, of Rockingham, Richmond county. The business is the manufacture and sale of clothing and gentlemen's furnishings. The capital is \$15,000, principal steckholders being B. Rogers. A. J. York, J. A. M-Auley. Mr. L. R. Thacker, of this city, returned to-day from Norfolk, where he went to spend a few days with his brother. Roy.

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Governor Aycock returned this morning from Greensboro, where he narticipated

from Greensboro, where he participated last night in the mass-meeting to raise noney to reestablish Greensboro Female College, which has been forced to close because of financial troubles.

## Incendiary Fire.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)
WINSTON-SALEM, N. C., July 10.—Fire at Elkin last night destroyed a large barn, seven horses and a lot of farming utensits belonging to Mr. "Jack" Reece.

## DAILY FASHION HINTS.

APRON AND SUN HAT.

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A pretty little model which is entirely new is shown here in the apron. It is tucked in the front to simulate a broad hox pleat, and has two box pleats in the back. The neck is V style, and shaped frills broaden the shoulders and give a jaunty air to the mode. The apron may be worn with or without the sash.

The little sun hat is a serviceable little article for children's summer wear. The crown is buttoned to the brim, so as to admit of laundering. The outer edges of both crown and brim may be scolloped or left plain. The mode develops satisfactorily in lawn, pique, gingham or madras. madras.



Sizes for 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 8, 10 and 12 years

On receipt of 10 cents this pattern will be sent to any address. All orders must be directed to THE LITTLE FOLKS PATTERN CO., 78 Fifth Avenue, New York. When ordering please do not fail to mention number.

Apton No. 4416. Sun Hat No. 4422.

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The fire is believed to have been of in-cendiary origin. Elkin officers telephoned here for bloodbounds, but the only ani-mals of the kind here are young and not well trained, hence they were not sent.

## WIFE-BEATER RELEASED

Deaf Mute Child Kicked by a Horse. New Telephone Exchange.

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(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)

SALISBURY, N. C., July 10.—W. A.
Cable, who brutally beat his wife at
Spencer last week, and who has since
been in the county jall, was released yesterday on a cash bond, which he succeeded in raising. The indignation of the people is still high and Cable acted wisely
in leaving the community at once.

The Spencer Telephone Exchange was
placed in operation yesterday for the
first time. The new system begins business with about one hundred 'phones connected.

nected.

The seven-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Patterson, of Spencer, was severely injured last night by the kick of a horse. A sad feature connected with the accident is that the child is a deaf

mute.

Mr. Joseph W. Long, formerly in business in Suffolk, Va., has moved to Spencer, where he will engage in the manufacture of brick.

The Reasoner, a weekly paper published in Sallsbury by Dr. J. N. Stallings, will likely be adopted as the State organ of the Anti-Saloon League.

#### Rowan County Schools

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)

SALISBURY, N. C., July 10.—The Rowan county School Beard has been in session here several days this week and has necomplished a vast amount of work looking to the betterment of the educational facilities of the county. Superintendent Kizer was re-elected to the office which has alled for some time. The report of the superintendent submitted to the beard disclosed the following interesting facts with reference to the schools in Rowan county.

White children enrolled in schools last year, 5.51, and colored, 1.65, while the attendance of whites was an increase of 12 per cent, but the report from the colored schools showed no increase.

There are only 65 colored persons of the same class.

The county surveyor has completed a school map of the county, which has been approved by the board.

Navassa Guano Company. (Special to The Times-Dispatch.)

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WILMINGTON, N. C., July 10.—The stockholders of the Navassa Guano Company held their annual meeting here to day. The usual dividend was declared and the following officers were elected? Tresident, H. W. Malloy, Wilmington: vice-president, S. T. Morkan, Richmond; vice-president, S. T. Morkan, Richmond; well and the secretary and treasurer, W. L. Derosset, Wilmington; directors, S. T. Morgan, S. D. Crenshaw, C. E. Borden and F. Whit tie, Richmond; W. L. Derosset, H. W. Malloy, Wilmington; L. A. Carr, Durham; F. B. Daney, Atlanta; W. M. Morgan, Fayetteville.

#### Fire in Ice Factory.

WILMINGTON, N. C., July 10.—Fire this afternoon destroyed the boiler-room of the Independent Ice Company of this city. The other parts of the piant sustained very slight damage, and will resume operation in a day or two.

The damage will not exceed \$1,000.

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trips for street committeemen by his company.

He admitted that while the fight was on, he had his friends on the Street Committee with him at lunch or dinner nearly every day when witness was in the other.

mittee with him at clients of the city.

Some weeks after the fight started up, he had begun the work of entertaining the members of the committee.

Messrs. Mills, Ferriter, Donohoo, Grimes, Mosby and Washer, had been taken to New York at the expense of the company. The latter two had gone at his request, though the witness did not accompany them.

It came out here that it was Alderman Louis Washer, of Marshall Ward, who is alleged to have changed from the new to the old company after a trip to New York, given by Bell, having had an opportunity to examine the approved appliances there.

One trip to New York, when Messrs. Grimes, Ferriter and Donohoe had gone with witness, cost the company \$750.

MR. RUSKELL DECLINED REWARD. Witness could not recall who had changed while the fight had been in progress. Sergeant at Arms Ruskell had been very kind to witness in the fight, and when it was over, the later offered the former a suit of clothes, but it had been declined. His company had let Councilman John R. Grimes have the contract for putting the conduits here, but it was six weeks after the franchise fight hod been settled. Witness had had no transactions with King, save that he had given him free telephone service as he had done with many others. Many Councilmen were on the free list when witness came to Hichmond, and he left them there and on the free list when witness came to Richmond, and he left them there and

added others.
At the dinner parties at Rueger's, as a At the dinner parties at Ruegor's, as a rule, wine was served. He had never given any standing order at Rueger's to allow Councilmen to have whatever they wanted at his expense. The first supper he gave to the members of the Common Council generally was the night of July 3d when the ordinance passed that body, this was at the Hotel Lawrence about 3 o'clock in the morning. He never dined the members of the Board of Aldermen, A "still hunt" was conducted for votes in that body.

Mr. Chipley did not remember how Mr. Chipley did not remember how many trips he took to New York with members of the Streat Committee, but did not think they were as many as half a dozen. He entertained his guests at the Hoffman House. Witness denies that he had engaged in games of chance with Councilmen and lost large sums of money to the atter. MR GUNST AGAINST IT.

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The only relative of a Councilman given a position by his company before the ordinance was adopted was a son of Mr. Marx Gunst. The latter had vote against the ordinance. Others were appointed to position, but it was after the fight was over. He had never employed any lawyer in the Council for professional services.

rvices. Witness had never given any Councilan or city officer any money or other duable thing for vote or influence in

Colonel W. E. Cutshaw was now sworn Colonel W. E. Cuishaw was now sworn and said he had always opposed the Franting of the Bell franchise. He had never told Colonel Chipley he would favor the Bell ordinance under any consideration, though he had told him that he was doing his cause harm by bringing General Meaney here. Here Colonel Cutshaw went into details as to why he had opposed the ordinance, and said he had opposed the ordinance, and said he had no vet changed his mind.

Colonel Cutshaw's testimony was very brief and at its conclusion the committee arose to meet again on Monday night at \$30 octock.

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## UNIVERSITY **PRESIDENT**

Name of John R. Proctor Will Be Presented to Board.

SWANSON IN WASHINGTON

Has No Idea of Withdrawing from Race for Gubernatorial Nomination. Many Diamonds Imported to this Country.

The Times-Dispatch Bureau,
No. 1417 G Street, N. W.,
Washington, D. C., July 10th, 1903.
The suggestion made by an alumnus
of the University of Virginia and printed
in this correspondence yesterday that
Hon. John R. Proctor, president of the
Civil Service Commission, be elected to
the presidency of the University, has
created much comment. Several letters
have been received at the Washington
Bureau of The Times-Dispatch on the
subject, and some of the Washington
alumni will probably take steps to press
upon the Board of Visitors the claims
of Judge Proctor. He has not given the
slightest intimation that he desires the
position, or would accept it if it were
offered him. It is certain that his name
will be presented to the board at its
meeting in a few days.

Representative Claude A. Swanson, of

Representative Claude A. Swanson, of the Fifth Virginia District, came to Washington last night, and spent a few hours here to-day looking after some matters at the Departments. Mr. Swan-son does not express the slightest inten-tion of withdrawing from the contest for the gubernatorial nomination.

The Bureau of Statistics of the Department of Commerce and Labor, in a statement of Commerce and Labor, in a statement issued to-day, announces that in the fiscal year just ended \$30,000,000 worth of diamonds and other precious stones were imported into the United States. This is the largest importation of precious stones ever shown in a single year of American commerce. Prior to 1857 the total had seldom reached \$10,000,000 in any one year. Of the diamonds imported this year more than \$10,000,000 worth were uncut. This indicates the development of a comparatively new industry in the United States—diamond cutting. The value of uncut diamonds imported in previous year has been comparatively small.

It was stated here to-day upon ap-

It was stated here to-day upon apparently the most reliable authority that Mr. William R. Hearst, proprietor of the New York Journal, the Chicago American and the San Francisco Examiner, would establish a paper in Washington this fall. The statement is based on the authority of Mr. Hearst.

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"The Indians have discovered the beauty of the Dakota divorce laws," said Gen. Andrew S. Burt to-day at his home out at Fort Myer. "At the present rate of increase the Indians will be paying in five years more money for divorces than is now being paid by eastern people who wish to be freed from irksome marital to adopt our way of getting married, and their ceremony now is a curious mixture of church, civil and heathen practices, and it is only within the past five years that they have patronized divorce courts. At one little town, Oacoma, sixteen ne-ittions for divorce have been flied by impossible to make the Indian understand that the divorce laws are for any other purpose than to permit the luxury of an unlimited number of marriages. Many bucks and squaws who cannot speak a word of English come into Oacoma and consult attorneys with a view to obtaining a divorce, with no ground in the world therefor, save a desire to have a new husband or wife."

An official of the Southern Railway said to-day he confidently expected to see the double-tracking of the road between here and Orange completed by Christmas Day. There is an enormous amount of heavy work being done on the line, and much remains to be done.

## NEGRO SPIRITED AWAY

Race Trouble Breaks Out in Wiscon-

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(By Associated Press.)

MARINETTE, WIS., July 10.—A negronamed "Deb" Flyn, bruised and cut from wounds inflicted by an excited crowd yesterday, was spirited out of town to-day.
Flyn was walking with a white girland got into a quarrel with some southerners who resented it. A crowd quickly collected, as a street carnival was being held, and clubs, stones and hammers were used on the negro. He was rescued by a company of militia, which was attending the carnival in a body. He was kept in hiding over night.

On Northern Trip.
Mr. and Mrs. John Armitage and their niece, Miss Mary Grace Halloran, have left for a-two-months' Northern trip. They will visit Washington, Philadelphia, Atlantic City, New York and Canada.

YOUNG PEOPLE

that I am well supplied, Now, It you can be cheated an with a same."

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"Oh! just put the ball on a lily pad and pound it with this club and yell revel, said the ecl, "and if you don't find it the other fellow wins. I'll can't good rap. Mr. Fel opened and gave it 2 good rap. Mr. Fel opened and gave it 2 good rap. Mr. Fel opened and gave it 2 good rap. Mr. Fel opened and gave it 2 good rap. Mr. Fel opened and gave it 2 good rap. Mr. Fel opened and gave it 2 good rap. Mr. Fel opened and gave it 2 good rap. Mr. Fel opened and gave it 2 good rap. Mr. Fel opened and gave it 2 good rap. Mr. Fel opened and gave it 2 good rap. Mr. Fel opened and gave it 2 good rap. Mr. Fel opened and gave it 2 good rap. Mr. Fel opened and gave it 2 good rap. Mr. Fel opened and gave it 2 good rap. Mr. Fel opened and gave it 2 good rap. Mr. Fel opened and gave it 2 good rap. Mr. Fel opened and gave it 2 good rap. Mr. Fel opened and gave it 2 good rap. Mr. Fel opened and gave it 2 good rap. Mr. Fel opened and gave it 2 good rap. Mr. Fel opened and gave it 2 good rap. Mr. Fel opened and gave it 2 good rap. Mr. Fel opened and gave it 2 good rap. Mr. Fel opened and gave it 2 good rap. Mr. Fel opened and gave it 2 good rap. Mr. Fel opened and gave it 2 good ra

## YOUNG PEOPLE CHOSEN OFFICERS

John H. Chapman, of Chicago. is President of B. Y. P. U.

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(By Associated Press.) ATLANTA, GA., July 10.—To-day's session of the convention of the International Baptist Young People's Union opened with prayer meetings, which were held in local churches, and conducted by visit-

in local churches, and conducted by visiting ministers.

Preceding the opening of the convention, Rev. Robert Vandeventer, pastor of the Duffy-Street Baptist Church, of Savannah, Ga., conducted a normal, and Hev. J. Masso, of Taleigh, N. C., led an open parliament, in which pertinent questions relating to the motives and progress of the union were discussed.

Following the reports of the various committees, officers of the union were elected for the ensuing term of office, as follows:

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President, John H. Chapman, Chicago;
First Vice-President, George Niller, Baitimore; Second Vice-President, A. L. McCrimmon, Woodstock, Ont.; Third Vice-President, W. M. Gaines, Atlanta, Ga.; Recording Secretary, Rev. H. W. Reid, Rock Island, Ill.; Treasurer, G. B. Osgood, Chicago.

The remainder of the morning session was devoted to addresses by A. L. McCrimmon, of Woodstock, Ont.; Rev. Jas. Grant, of Watertown, Mass., and W. O. Carver, of the Southern Baptist Theological Seminary, of Louisville.

The afternoon session of the convention was devoted to conferences, and the meetings of State officers and bogrds of managers of the various chapters of the International Union.

The remarkable story of a Virginian

"To-Day's Advertising Talk."

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## ANIMAL STORIES FOR OUR **BOYS AND GIRLS**

The Foxy Eel.

"Good gracious!" cried Conger Eel, slipping quickly to one side, as a most wonderful creature came sliding toward him. 'What in the name of Neptune is this?"

"Fore!" yelled the creature, dashing

"Fore!" yelled the creature, dashing past him.

"What for?" gasped Conger, wiggling his whiskers.

"Ho! ho!" laughed the other. "Don't know me, do you? Oh! I'm 'bogie', at the course."

"Should say you were a bogie. What do you want to scare a fellow like that for, and what have you been doing?"

"Oh! I'm just practicing for the summer. You see, there is a golf course on the edge of this pond, and I have learned the game from hearing it so often, and, you see, it's so much cooler down here to play than in that hot field, and then, they knock so many balls in the pond



"DON'T SEE IT MYSELF."
that I am well supplied. Now, if you will just be 'caddy,' I'll go on with the

A Few Foreign Facts. The Prince of Wales has been promoted to the rank of vice-admiral in His Majes-

Paris is to have a statue of Byron from the chisel of M. Jean de Charmey, who has made notable monuments of Baude-laire, Sainte-Beuve and Alfred de Vig-

Dr. Chapet Prevest, the well-known Brazilian surgeon, has announced, after making extensive experiments, that he hes no doubt of the success of the new serum cure for opium poisoning. Mount Vesuvius is in eruption. Loud explosions have been heard and lava is flowing down its sides.

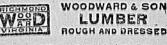
The Belgian authorities in Africa are said to have threatened the American Presbyterians with foreible eviction unless they vacate their station on the Kasal River, and other missionaries have been expelled from Juapa, because of the activity of Protestant missionaries in exposing the horrors of the awful barburities for which Belgian authorities are responsible.

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It is a well known fact that the labor question is one of the gravest problems of the Rand. The British government has already considered the advisability of importing Chinese cooles in large numbers, and an English contemporary now suggests the importation of Tartars from the Kazan government in Russia.

## G'ass-Sand in Konsas.

An immense deposit of glass sand hraben found in Wilson county, Kan., which is said to be equal to any imported. In the same region are found large quantities of sait cake and lime, the other principal ingredents of glass, and it is predicted that Kanasa will soon come to the front in the glass industry.



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